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Another year has glided by on silent wing. It was feathered with flying hours and in its beak it carried an olive branch plucked in the green gardene of eternity. What a great mystery is this illimitable, silent, rushing, mere resting thing called Time. Time is a rast whool, that revolves with pitiless power, drag ling us toward the dreaded night of an unknown heresiter. Time is a mysterious messenger who sites with muffed tread up the slope of years, bearing in his palms, life and death, hope and despair, smilles and tears, riches and poverty, subliment pleasure, and depend distreem. Time is a weaver at his loom, and his warp is unde up of the bright and sombre, of the garish and glittering threads of hope and the bleak and colorless woof of desolation. Days, years, centuries are but needed to be measured. sombre, of the garish and glittering inreases of hope and the bleak and colorless wood of desolation. Days, years, centuries are but yardstiess with which we measure Time, but they drop from our palsied fingers at I set, while Time sends his shuttle back and forth, and the unmessured web still grows. Time is a stream and the source of its overleating flow is hidden from all sam One. Time is a shurloss, fathomics sea whose waves are years, and whose cupits are filled with the sait of human tears. Time is a sweet messenger from the celestial bowers of Paradise, who heals the broken heart and placks the poisoned errow from the hand of sorrow.

We would continue at some length in this strain but we happen to romember a note that falls due on Jan. I which we must meet even if we have to sell the cow, and there's no money in slinging soutiment or grinding out maundering drivet about lime.

We must then get up and hustle,

grinding out maundering drivel about line.

We must then get up and hustle,
White the grass is wat with dew.
For if we don't the groedy cuss'il
Take a notion for to sue.
(Of course there is no grass this time of year and no dew, but we had to inve a word to rhymo with sue.)
January is the first month of the year, and has been since the reign of Numa Pompilius who succeeded Romulus as section boss of Rome, that sat upon her seven hills and hatched out the greatest empire the world has ever seen. The month was named after Janua, us two-faced guy who used to open the years and the seasons with a crowber. Hefore the time of Noma Pompillus there were but ten months in the year and cussequently it wasn't so long between drinks as it is now. drinks as it is now.

drinks as it is now.

It was early New Year morning When he atruck a friendly Joint. And with Tom and Joremlah His stomach did annoint. Then he took a whisky docktell, And for fent more fun he'd miss The drinks in quick succession Went

When the liquor in his system
Began to raise his pluck
He took another splitter
Then another one for luck And soon the man was loaded, And he had an overplus, But the load he couldn't carry

With eyes bloodshot and swollen, With bloated face and red With feelings like a faion And with an aching head, with deep humiliation.
Which he could not dismiss.
This wistched man on New Year.
Went gering like

gering like stage man on rew

Made Young Again.

"One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two week has put me in my 'teens' again, " writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for liver, stomach and bowels. Purely regulable. Nover gripe. Only 250 at C. F. Shilling and J. E. King.

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#### **BURDENS ARE MANY**

By Chas. W. Bilas, of the Montgomery The Citizens of Decatur Have Their County News.

Burdens of life are many. Some people have more than their chare. Praity hard to bear the burdens of a bad

uus. Its aches and pains make you miserable. Loarn the cause and remove the burden. Most backache pains come from sick kid-

Most tackage pains come from slock kidneys.

Most tackage pains come from slock kidneys.

Most cure the kidneys to cure the back.

Doan's Kidney Pille will do it.

Lots of Doanter proof that this is so.

Read what a clizen says:

Mr. A. J. Thompson of 928 North Main street, carpenier, says: "For years my kidneys were irregular and caused pains across my back, I used plasters but they benefited income for the time being and when their offset were off the pain returned. There was also too ifrequent action of the kidney secretions which contained a heavy sediment. I learned of Doan's Kidney if 'lley got them at a drug store; took them as directed and gradually the pain began to leave and the other symptoms to disappear. I continued the treatment until I was cured."

cured."

h Dean's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffale, N. Y. Sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Donn's, and take no substitute.

#### **OBITUARY**

Leone Moore was born in California, December 1, 1877, and was the daughter of S. Frank Moore, and Harriet, daughter of the late Hon E. O. Smith, for many years prominent in the affairs of this city. Coming with her parents to this city in 1880, most of her life was passed here. Her bright spirit and good comradualip made her a favorite with a large circle of friends. Three years ago her braith became a matter of solicitude and accompanied by her mother and eleter went to Colorado Springs, where nearly two years were passed, followed by a sojourn at La Grosse, Wis , but consumption had fastaned upon her, and doming alx weeks ago to filmwood, the home of her aunt, Mrs. Laura Brown, her brief young life reached its class. She presessed a disposition of unusual self reliance and chestiness, comforting others and saking none for herself. Her last days were spent in thought and effort for the coming Christians time for her friends, and in her dring hours she spoke unselfish words of courage and love to those site left. The body in charge of her mother, her aunt, Mrs. Laura Brown and her courin, Mr. Edwin Brown, was brought to this city and the funeral services were held on Saturday, Decomber 81, the interment being in Greenwood ceme-

The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. W. C. Miller of the Congrugational church, who spoke of the victory in the deathlessness of the human mind and in the lave of a Father Gcd. Nothing can be entirely defeated where the love of God lingers. Many of our days are like the boughs of the summer trees after the storm has passed—bent to the ground, rain beaten and drop laden until the clouds are once more broken and gold-lined, and that which seems to have been on useless home that January lat is the day when the Januaria and pattern, hence meaning of men awear off. The New Year penitent seldow lasts until the lat of February, but it is better to quit for a menty or for, a week, for that reatter, than never to let up until age gensumes the seneray and withered and worn out you lag superfluous on the stage of life.

On the first day of January the earth will be three million miles nearer the sun than it was on July 1st. This seme thing happened last year, however, so we needn't be alerened. The earth and the aun have been saving that way over since the winter of the deep snew and no disastrous results have followed. Three million miles is a good, long, distance, further then Aguinaldo sould run in a year if he did his best. The weather will be chilly between the list and flast of this menth. If a few pleasant days should come don't take down the stowes or put away your overcost with a setting of motibalis in the pootest. Coal is lisbe to go up the first of the month if it thints of it, and it will surely think of it. January is the month when buckwhest ease and sausages are in periges and as the following of the complete of that which seems to have been so useless this! has given color and pattern, hence mean-

Throws Boquets at Himself. Throws Boquete at Himself.

Berlin, Jan. 1.—Empiror William, at
the New Year's parado today, addressed the

officers of the garrison as follows: "The first day of the new century sees our army. In other words our people, in arms, gathered about their 'atandards, kneeling before the Lord of Hosts, and, verily, if any one has special reason this day for howing down before God, it is our army. A glance at our atandards suffices as an explanation, for they are the embodiment of our history." imant of our histors."

His Wife Saved Him. My wife's good advice saved my life, writes F. M. Ross of Winefield, Tann., for I had such a bad cough I sould hardly broathe, I steadily grow worse under doc-Our afflicted readers will certainly never have a better chance to try a new and highly recommended Treatment for sumption, which completely oured me."

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Conord, N. H., Jan. 1-The grand jury reported inday. No indicament was found against United States Senator Gallinger who was charged with violating the civil sorvice laws in soliciting avaisatily subscriptions for vampaign fund from federal office



Central Illinois' Greatest

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# LINN & SCRUGG

Water, Main and State Streets, Decatur, Illinois.

Seven **Distinct** Dept's.

GREAT JANUARY SALE OF

# Linens & Undermuslins

As it is pretty generally understood, there is a steady and growing advance in almost all commercial lines, and in this general advance, Linens and Lingèrie are kept right up with the head of the procession. But while this is a bare statement of fact, we don't want you to think that we are trying to frighten you into quick buying; for, we shall still continue to do all in our power to buy for you at normal prices. And, in this connection it should not be forgotten that the extent of our purchasing is such that, if there is any preference to be given, it is given to us—and by the same rule of logic this advantage passes to our customers. The items which we list in the Great January Sale, however, were all purchased before the advance was thought of by most merchants and the prices in most instances, are much less than the same goods could be sold for if purchased now.



#### Table Napkins.

20 inch Austrian Silver Bleached Dice Napkins-guaranteed extra fine and heavy, worth 20 inch Irish Bleached Damask Napkins-

extra good heavy quality-worth \$1.15. 87c 20 inch Scotch Bleached Damask Napkins,extra good heavy quality-worth \$1.50 \$1.17 24 inch Scotch Bleached Damask Napkinsguaranteed pure flax-extra large, \$1.59 heavy quality-worth \$2. Per doz.

24 inch Scotch Bleached Double Satin Da-mask Napkins—guaranteed pure flax. extra fine quality—worth \$4. Per \$3.39 

Napkins—an extra fine quality— \$5.39 worth \$6.50. Per dozen this sale.... 24 inch Bleached Damask Napkins-full size and weight, beautiful floral patterns, \$2.39

Hemmed Pillow Cases size 36x4z incled hem, extra fine quality, worth 12 % each	
Same, 36x45 Inches,	He
Same, 36xto inches.	. I 23c
Linen Pillow Cases, size 36x45 inch good heavy quality, worth \$1.25, Per pair	79c

#### Sheets.

Linen Sheets, size coxco inches, extra \$2.23

## Crash Toweling.

16 inch Toweling, double selvedge, quality, no dressing, worth 6c, per yard	extra	310
per yard	flax,	extri I Oc
Glass Toweling, 14 inches, wide, quality, worth 7c, per yard	Lood	heav
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#### Damask Pattern Cloths.

Our line of Damask Pattern Cloths Our line of Damask Fattern, Cloths is the largest and most completely assorted stock in Central Illinois. We show no lefs than 75 different designs, in various grades, with napkins to match. Those designs are the very latest shown and include the choicest patterns, selected from the lines of the best makers. The cloths range in width from 72 to 90 inches, and in length from 2 to 4 yards. Special prices for the January sale will be made on all these goods. made on all these goods.

Towels. Hemmed Glass Towels, size 14x22 inches, good quality, checked styles, worth 6c. Jan-

Remmed Huck Towels, sile 17x34 inches, extra good quantity, worth 12 %C. January 10C. sale, each ..... I OC Fringed Damask Towels, size 16x37 inches, colored borders, worth 15c.

January price 226 Fringed Huck Towels size 19x36 inches, axtra good heavy quality. Also Hemmed Huck Towels, size 17x34 inches, fair quality, 

## grass bleached, guaranteed pure flax, white and colored borders, worth 35c, each 250 Turkish Towels.

Turkish Hand Towels, size 13x26 inches, good quality, each..... Bleached Turkish Towels, size 16836 Turkish Towels bleached, size 24x50 inches, extra large sizes, heavy quality, Turkish Towels, cream, size 24x46 inches, extra heavy quality, worth 25C, 26C.

Turkish Towels, bleached and cream, size

#### Damasks.

good heavy quality, worth 60c. Per yard. 570 62-Inch Scotch Cream Damask, extra

72-inch Scotch Bleached Double Satin Damask, rating good heavy quality, beautiful patterns in the new free border styles, worth \$1.25. 980

72-inch Scotch Bleached Double Satin Damask, extra fine grade, stylish up-to-date pattern worth \$1.20

72-inch Scotch Bleached Double Satin Da-mask, extra beavy quality, very rich patterns, exclusive styles, worth \$1.75. \$1.39

72-inch Irish Cream Damask, an extra heavy quality, suitable for botel use, etc. 750 Worth 98c. Per yard, January sale....

### Lunch Cleths.

Hemmed Lunch Cloths, size 36x45 inches, good heavy satin damask, worth \$1.25. Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths, size 36x36 inches, good variety of handsome \$1.19 Hemstitched Damask Lunch Cloths, eize 45x45, drawn work in border, worth \$1.89 Hemstitched Lunch Cloths, sien 54x54 inches, made of best quality of Dresden Art \$2.49

#### Oullts.

For our January Sale of these indispensable articles of women's wear, we have ac-

cumulated a vast gathering of the best goods from the best makers, and the extremely moderate prices which we quote are out of all proportion to the excellence of the quality. Prices of the above-like everything else in the line of muslins and embroideries, have very considerably advanced, but these goods were purchased months before the advance and these prices are based on their low cost, rather than on the present advanced value. You will make no mistake in purchasing everything you may require in this line at the prices quoted below. We invite comparison with other dealers.



#### Ladies' Drawers.

Same, 8 rows of tucking and lace trimmed. Worth 75c 49c Ladies' muslin drawers, tucking and embroidery trimmed, worth 49c. January sale ... 35c Ladies' muslin drawers, hemmed and tucked, worth 35c. 25c January Saic. 25c Ladies' ut 'brella drawers, plain

made flounce, worth 35c. 25c Ladies' tucked muslin draw- 15c Ladies' Muslin Skirts.

Muslin Skirts, deep flounce with tucking, hemstitched, with dust Ladies' Muslin Skirts, tucked, ruffied, trimmed with insertion and lace, dust ruffle, worth \$1.19

#### Ladles' Moslin Skirts, tucked ruffle trimmed with wide embroidery, dust zuffle, worth \$1.75

each, for January sale-\$1.25

Ladler' Mur lin Skirts, umbreila

style, flounce trim ed with embroidery insertion and ruffles, worth 75c

Children's Undergarments. Children's drawers, embroidery trimmed, ages t to o years. 39c Children's skirts, umbreils style, ages I to 7 years, each. ..... 580

## Ladies' Gowns.

Ladies Gowns, cut
V neck embroidery
insertion, trimmed
with ruffles, worth
75c. This sale—
49c
Ladies Gowns, cut
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square neck rever-es of embroidery, trimmed with rul-fles, worth 75c. This sale— 490

Ladies' Gowns, cut
square neck with
large collar, embroidery trimmed.
It nught to sell for
osc, but January
buyers get it for
750 Ladies' Gowns, cut

Ladies gowns cut V neck, lace insertion and tucks, lace trimmed, worth \$1.45. This sale \$50 Ladies' gowns out square neck, reverse of insertion and tucks, trimmed with wide embroidery, 980

Ladies gowns cut square yoke, tucks and hisertice, trimmed with embroidery, worth \$1.50.

Ladies' gowns, Empire style, tucked front, trimmed with embroide-ery, worth \$1.50. Ladles' gowns, cut V neck with square yoke of insertion, embroidery trimmed, worth 

Ladies' Corset Covers. Ladies' Corset Covers, cut V neck,

Ladles' Corset Covers, cut V neck,

embroidery trimmed, worth 392. You can buy them this 250 month for 

Ladles' Corset Covers, cut square neck, trimmed with insertion and embroidery, worth 65c. Ladles' Corset Covers, cut round

neck, trimmed with insertion and lace, full front, worth 65c, 496

100 State St., Calcago.

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# EXTRAORDINARY VALUES THIS CLEARING

#### Waist Patterns.

Silk Waist Patterns, very choice quality, \$6.50, \$7 and \$8, all marked \$3.95 pattern.

\$9 and \$10 Silk Waist Patterns, marked to \$5.95 each. 50 choice novelty wool Dress Patterns, original price \$9 and \$10, all marked \$5 each.

Fine all wool Novelty Plaide, 54 inches wide, nice. heavy material, suitable for skirts or suits, early price \$1.50 and \$1.75, now marked \$1.00 yard.

One lot of 50-inch all wool plaid Dress and Skirt Patterns, regular value, \$1.25, now marked 75c a yard.

Ladies' fur topped kid Mittens, \$1.25 quality, 75c pair. Ladies' lined kid Mittens and Gloves, fur tops, the regular \$1.50 grade, for 98c pair.

Children's lined kid Mittens, all reduced to 20c, 30c and 85c pair.

Fine trimmed Hats & Bonnets, all Reduced for this Sale \$3 to trimmed Hats for \$1.98.

\$7.00 trimmed Hats for \$2.98. \$8.00 trimmed Hats for \$3.98. \$10.00 and 12.00 trimmed riats for 4.98.

Children's Tams and Caps all marked 25c each. Children's silk and wool Bonnets, 25c each.

All our ready to wear Hais, now 48c.

### Remnants of Fine Dress Goods

Remnants of fine Dress Goods, 50 pieces all wool plaids and fancy, 36-inch wide at 19c yard.

100 remnants of 36 and 40-inch all wool plaid and novelties, 50c, 60c, and 75c qualities, all marked 39c

200 remnants of 44 to 54-inch all wool and silk and wool plaids and novelty Dress Good, regular price, \$1.25 to 1.50, all marked to close out at 69c yard.

One lot of 40 inch wool Crepons for skirts and suits black only, a big bargain 40c yard, regular price 75c

# OUR ANNUAL JANUARY SALE OF MUSLINS, SHEETINGS, TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, ETC.,

Commences Tuesday. Jan. 2. 1900. together with thousands of Remnants of every description in merchandise which have accumulated here in the past three months. These Remnants will be on sale in the basement on the special bargain counters.

3,000 yards yard-wide bleached Muslin remnants at 35c yd.

2,500 yards yard-wide unbleached Muslin remnants at 4c yd.

25 pieces cream Shaker Flannel at 4c yd.

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350 yards dark Outing Flannels at 31/2 yd. 2 dozen good cotton filed Comforts at 690 and 98c each. 50 pair grey or white cotton Blankets at 39c and 50c

25 large and heavy grey Blankets at only 65c pair-25 all wool white Blankets at only \$2.98 pair.

10 extra large and fine all wool California Blankets at \$4.50 pair.

A large line of wool Skirt Patterns at 58c, 65c, 98c, \$1.25 each.

## In the Main Floor Linen Dept.

50 dozen all linen fringed barbers' Towels at 5c each. 75 dozen all linen huck hemmed Towels at 8 1/3c each. One case green seal yard-wide bleached Muslin, the 9c yard, grade at 7c yard.

One case good quality yard-wide bleached Muslin at

10 pieces 9-4 bleached Sheeting, 2以 yds., wlde at 14以c yd₁ 15 pieces 9.4 unbleached Sheeting 21/4 yds., wide at

121/2c yd. All our 65c bleached and cream Table Damask, 48c a

yd, for this sale. 15 pieces double satin finish Ivory Linen, 39c yd. This

linen usually sells at 58c yard. 500 yards bleached Table Linen at 190 yd.

#### Fine Furs.

A few choice Fur Collarettes and Scarfs to close.

#### Conts.

Ladies' astrachan Fur Coats, high storm collars, box fronts lined with best grade of satin lining, 24 inches long, for \$25.

Ladies' finest grade astrachan fur Coats, high storm collars, best satin lining, wool cloth interlined, stayed seams, 26 inches long, \$35.00

Electric seal Coats, high storm collars, double breasted box

fronts, best satin lining, \$40.00 each. Finest grade electric seal Coats, fancy and plain, silk lining, 26 inches long, \$50.00.

Persian lamb Coats, 24 inches long, box front, high storm collar, \$125.00.

Alaska scal Coats, very latest shape collar and back, best grade of lining, \$160.00 each.

#### Fur Capes.

Alaska seal Capes, 27 inches long, full sweep, high storm collars, best grade silk lining, \$75.00 each.

Mink Capes, 30 inches long, full sweep, high storm collar, \$75.00 each.

Finest b aver Capea, 27 inches long, full sweep, best lining, \$45.00 each.

30-inch astrachan and sheared coney Capes, full sweep, heat satin lining, \$16.50 each, worth \$25.00.

20 Persian cloth Capes, 27 inches long, full lined, worth \$4.00 for \$2.48.

25 Persian cloth Capes, 30 inches long, full lined, thibet tenmined, worth \$6.00 for \$3.05.

\$6,00 for \$3.05.

#### Mutts.

100 new choice Muffs, all kinds of fur at 35c, 50c, 75c, o5c, \$1.5c, and up to \$20 00.

Children's Fur Sets.

Children's Fur Sets in large variety of fur and shaper, at \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.25

#### Fur Collarettes.

Electric seal Storm Collars, long tube trimmed with marten tails, \$4.95 each.

Electric seal Collarettes, 10 inches deep, with high storm collars, \$8.95 each.

Real black marten Collarettes, high storm collars, 4.95 Real black marten Collarettes, high storm collars, 16.50

Beaver Collarettes, high storm collars, \$22.50 each. 12 fine heavy, plain plush Capes, 30 inches long, silk

lined Thibet fur trimming, worth 8.50 for \$5.00. 22 fine plush Capes, 30 inches long, very full sweep, handsome guimp trimmings, regular price, 10.00 and 12.50 for 7.50 each.

#### Jacket Bargains.

65 handsome kersey cloth Jackets in tans, navy blue, black, silk lined, worth \$8.50, to be closed at \$5.00. 50 stylish kersey cloth Jackets, best silk lining, large

pearl buttons, best tailor finish, worth \$12.50 for 40 elegant tailor made Jackets, finest English kersey

and all wool mountenac cloth, Skinners satin lined, all man tailored, worth \$16.50 to \$18.50, to be closed at \$10 00 each.

One lot plaid and plain flannel Waists, all colors, worth 51.50, at 98c.

50 silk Waists, all new shades and styles worth \$7.00 and \$8.00 for \$4.95.

#### Underwear.

40 dozen men's jersey ribbed fleece Shirts and Drawers for 33c, worth 50c,

One lot men's heavy-fieece lined Shirts and Drawers for 40c, worth 50c.

One lot men's heavy natural wool Shirts for 75c, worth \$1.00. One lot men's fine silk fleece Shirts and Drawers for

98c, worth \$1.50. 20 dozen men's camel's hair Shirts and Drawers for 45c

30 dozen men's half wool hose for 12 1-2c.

One lot ladies' Egyptian Tights for 18c.

20 dozen ladies' Union Suits for 23c, worth 40c. One lot ladies' jersey ribbed grey Vests for 48c, worth

One case ladies' fine fleece Vests and Pants, 18c worth One lot children's fleece Vests for 12 1-2c.

60 dozen children's heavy Bicycle Hose from 6 to 10 20 dozen ladies' black cashmere Hose for 85c, worth

One lot ladies' black fleece Hose for 16c, worth 25c.

One lot children's Union Suits for 25c. One lot ladies' black French made Hose, 35c, worth 60c

### Clearing Sale of Ladies' Petticoats.

The usual January cut in prices is being made now throughout this department in order to reduce Handsome slik Petticoats of sich rustling taffeta slik,

worth \$6.00, clearing sale price, \$4.08. Handsome silk Petticoate of extra heavy 'quality rust' ling taffeta silk worth \$10.75, clearing sale price,

Fine black Moreen Petticoats, worth \$5.50, clearing

sale price, \$4.50. Fine black Moreon Petticoats, worth \$4.50, clearing sale

price, \$2.98. Fine black Mercerized Petticoats, worth \$3.50, clearing sale price, \$1.08.

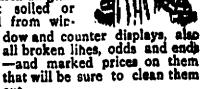
Colored Mercerized Petticoats, worth \$3.25 and \$3.50 clearing sale price, \$1.98.
Fine black satesn Petilicoats, worth \$1.85 and \$1.98, clearing sale price,

#### Clearing Sale of Ladice' Misses' and Children's

# Musilin Underwear.

This is our customary January clearing sale of Muslin Underwear.

Preparatory to, starting our great annual sale with absolutely new, fresh goods, we've taken all garments the least bit soiled or mussed, or crumpled from wir-



The collection embraces gowns, skirts, drawers, chemises, corset covers, children's night dresses. drawers, white dresses, size 1, 2, and 3 years. Infants' long dresses and ladies' white aprops. In addition to the above, we will offer several odd lots of ladies'

misses' and children's flannel night dresses at greatly reduced prices.

#### Clearing Sale of all Remnants

In our White Goods, Embroidery, and Lace Departments. Remnants of India Linen, Remnants of Pique, Remnants of Checked Nainsook, Remnants of Laces, Remnants of Dimity, Remnants of Em-

#### Clearing Sale of

#### Ladies' and Misses' Handkerchiefs

It will pay you to buy Handkerchiefs now in anticipa-tion of future wants. The prices we have marked on these goods are actually less than cost.

Children's Handkerchiefs at 1c.

Ladies' white Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, initial, 216. Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at 5c, (6 for 25c.)

Ladies' Lace Edged Handkerchiefs at 5c (6 for 28c.) Ladies' plain all linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs at 5c (6 for 25c.)



Handkerchiefs, worth 1236, now Ladies' plain all linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, (soft bleach) worth 12%c, now:

Ladies' embroidered and scalloped

Ladies' lace edge ! Handkerchiefs, worth 12%c, now 7c.

Ladies' hand embroidered all linen Handkerchiefs, worth 18c, now 10c. Ladies' hand-embroidered and scalloped Handker-

chiefs, worth 18c, now 10c.

Ladies' hand-embroidered all linen Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, now 15c Ladies' embroidered and scalloped Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, now 15c

Ladies' lace trimmed Handkerchiefs worth 85c, now 15c. All our fine Handkerchiefs, worth

from 35c, to 50c now 25c.



Other qualities correspondingly cheap.

# Bargains in Our Basement.

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Over 5,000 Remnants contracted for before the late advance in prices.

One case of Finest Seersucker Remnants, regular 10c goods -all new patterns, 8c yard.

Two cases of Toile du Nord Gingham Remnants 8c yd.

One case 86 inch mixed Wool Remnants, colors black, navy and light shades, at 150 yd.

One case of 50 Cashmere Remnants, all colors, 29c yd.



### Bargain in Our Basement.

Over 5,000 Remnants contracted for before the late advance in prices.

One case of Simpson's black and silver grey Calicoes in Remnants at 5c a yard.

One case Heavy 15c Penang Remnants, all colors suil-able for Boys' Waists, oc yd One case 36c finest English Percales in Remuants, all

new colors at roc yard. One case 32-in Plaids suitable for house dresses and waists

in Remnants, at 1236c.

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# A YEAR'S HISTORY

Brief Glance Backward of the Important Local Events of the Year 1999.

MAKES INTERESTING RECORD

Talls of the Deaths, Marriages, Accidents and Tragedies and Dates on Which They Occurred.

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JANUART. 81-Ouler 1-Miles Tillle Shetter of Decatur and A computer. # If I bon of Chathain married at Spring. deld . . St Micholas hotel transferred from Charles Noipp to G J Mills... Marriage of W E Look and Miss Catherine Payne. .. Olara Bufford .... Inrriage of John M Fosfor and Miss Marthn E Scott both of Oreans .... Death of Loster, 7-year-old son of Mr and Mrs W R Wostherford at Blue Mound . .. Mrs Dorn Hartley died in Chicago,

Decatur and Fred Peak of Springfield .... Hatzbach began cutting soven-inch ice on his pond near the river .. A H Lander promoted to master of transportation on the Grand Trunk .... Mr and Mrs Daniel Primmer found their infant chid dead in bad at Mantiu, cause of death unknown.

rierk of the lower house of state legislature... ... Samuel C Allen died at the age of 80..... Death of Mrs Matida Bourland, 84, at 821 Woolington to Charles E Humble.. Mar- found dead in a corn orib near Emery. rings of Miss Alice ! Mufflit to Arthur C Molifide.

Ahands ned girl baby found on the doorstep of Edward Poulk, 105 North Church street, a hovel on Maryland etreet.

Regulatide of Mowingua at Ht Marr's lies storing 4000 tone of astural toe.

ailled by a seitch engine in the yards.... former Decatus merobant at Dolmque, Is. C N Wildoron gave bond in the sum of 16—Ambrose Robbins alias Etery Banks \$1500 and return from Springfield to De- and Fannie Fulton alias Fantiy Banks,

organisticusly a weak provious is begun.... Edward Bell buys the Angle hotel .... Mar-Yes, and Mrs Cor ha Tollis of Decator. 6-Trial of L i venger for the in itser of Bay Pelfor Zan the circuit court ... Death of Mrs to U Linnsman at Hain iton, Bermusta i dends-Death of Thomas Masterson ... Day of Mrs Caroline Gher-

l'!kbart ... . Death tage at his home. Mildsed, 7-rear a liter of Mrs. H. Mailace.

. Knotta who risiting here from Prairie Hall .... Death of t-rear old non of Mr and Mrs Thomas Walker ... George Fruit arrested at the

of Miss Mary Tuttle to G W McFarland...

hard murder hilah ... Death of Mrs William Tuttle and Duley Provest and of George Houston murth of Decatur. 15-Case of Louis Clerenger charged with

marder of Bay Telford submitted to the lury .... Application made to Judge Vall for elver for Oity Electric street railway. 14-Jury returns a verdict finding Louis Die renger guilty of the murder of Bay Telof Mrs Louise Ponsweech aged 74 years.

15-Death of Richard R. (Doc) Stewart uged 80 years ... Daath of Mrs Harriet B )mith.....telimition of St. Johannes' paloodes isidod

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T Englishance named on reselves for

City Electede Religence Co.... C C Forter satisfy numerous eleftme..... D Charles Gallabger, aged 67 years charles board bill.

6—George Dowers, a Lake Cit Company of the Company of the

18-Guards arrive from Pant after doing strike duty for 20 days ... Marriage of James Coop rand Mrs Ida B Cattrell .... Death of Mrs Mark Toser at Maron aged 55 .... Jo'n Coursy a former Decater realdent, tilled in the intiroed yards at Hous-ton, Tax....George F Fruit tegally de-clared insane....Marriage of Hugo 'Hisbisch and Miss Anna Rozanski... Marriage 89. of Frank Dickey of Mt Zion and Miss Mary 7. Walker, of Decatur ... Marriage of E R Hurlburt and Miss Laura Mundy, both of Mt Zion...Gen Black and Gdv Oglesby speck to members of Dunham post.

McDonald at New York City.

#1-Mrs H D M Hodge dies suddenly while visiting her daughter at Prafrie Hall Death of Mrs. J. P. Wilbur, aged 51. .... Death of Andrew J Smith aged 57. ... 9—George Dingmann, of Niantic, as

Mound agad 80 years ... Death of Barter Davidson at Mt Zlon aged 82 years.

Wiggins the Mt Elan forger arrested at Monroe City, Mich ... Opening session of sinte convention of meater plumbers.

ing with two boy companions....Marriage of John Waggy of Decauer and Miss Hattle Davis of Taylorville, Thomas W Parker of Warrensburg and Luiu Mokes of Decatur, Charles Hogan and Lizzle Burns ... Death of Mrs William Kancald aged 64. b-Col Ingersoll lectures in Becatur ...

Death of Carrie Neldermyer at Blooming-

bom.

19-Mercury 22 below ... Harvest of 7

inch too begins .... Infant child of hir and Mrs Max Greenburg scalded to death. 30-J H Spooner dies at Oreana aged 66

Donth of Nicholas Scherer aged 40. 81-Culters sell their interest in the gas

#### FEBRUARY.

1-Marriage of Newton Button and Plotance Wright at Bloomington ... Samuel Mo Marriage of Edward Simpson and Miss Canley's home, 1013 South Colfan destroyed by fire .... J A Jonnings who deserted him family the previous fall returns to Decatur ...Blot machines ordered out of the salouns ....Scott Glore and Miss Bester Bigant married at Danville. Er.

> W Hellman & Co. 3-A Parker dies at Blue Mound, aged 80

... Death of Francis A Search aged 80. 4-Karl Sablotni killed by a fall at the coni tu no.

damage soft for the killing of the little Less boy ... 89th anniversary of the C P church colobrated ... Douth of Mrs Oath-

E Tomlinson of Macon.

N. Clinton St. Marriage of Miss Dolla Jennie Moore aged 89.... H \* Longnecker

zero ... Fourteen inches of ice in the river 4-Q N Wilcoxon accessed on charge of ....Residence of Bamuel Miller of Moweabeying used the U.S. mail for fraudulent que destroyed by fire .... Doath of Mrs.

and Miss Annio Hagerty...Marriage of and Oltizens' Mutual telephone company of Wiggins and Miss Attle Johnson... for the death of Walter Lea...Mrs. Kate Davis found demented with frozen feet in

11-Death of John O Kapps aged 69

tory ... B H Park a young farpter disappears from his home usar Elwin ... Marrings of Mira Jemie Malloy and 8 H Kayfor near Elwin ... Marriage of Perry O Moore and Miss Clara Austin of Boody ....

federation.... Bosing bouts at opera house. 17-Manager Armetrong notifies miners of the refusal to President Dussell to or-

ganizo a union. 18-Pele Johnson aged 18 years committee suicide by teking morphine....Strawberries un sale in Docatur....Ben Hawkins a Long

19-Three-fear-aid son of Henry Barding, faially burned at Casari ... Double of Mrs. Augusta Bolilia

of James Allison murdared at Mason City. In., brought back to Latham for burial .... District lodge of Good Tamplais meet bors.

23-Jay in case of John B Hamilton va Marriage of Miss hthei Scovill to Fred G City of Decatur gives a serdiet for the Sarpenter ... Death of Roy W Il Davis aged plaintiff ... Patont gasoline lamp explodes N years .... Mrs 1 M Missions died at Marca at the Brunswick burning H B Easterly .. Marriage of Lewis E Cullison and Miss and M Johnson, Mr .. . Death of Sarah A Hockingberry ... Ground broken for Y. M. C. A. railroad building, Marriage of Harrison Bender and Grdie Green .... A T Summers takes the bankrupt law.

94-Suicide 'at Prairie Home of Miss Orane Samuer at her stater's wedding.

28-Deaths of Oliver Reed near Argenta. pen., Injunction against contractors of Charles Philips, arm of Ajolph Mueller, Bidorado a rest paving dissolved....Drath Mrs Malinda Woodford, Mrs Ann M Davis.

'' MAROH,"

vival et the First M.E. shreeh ... William Min Allos C. Tolly M. Dies H C Anthony at Chi. Evens-culebraise Aje 19th hirthday ... Sod. 18—At called mobil

4-George Dowers, a Lake City farmer,

suicides by hanging in his besn .... Death of Mrs. T. M. Taylor at Boody ... . Heavy snow and sleet nterferes with street our traffic. 6-Mercury at sero ... Compirellar

Frank Robbins successfully resists being held up by a footpad on East Elderade street ... Death of Mrs. Sadis Parish, aged

7-M. Frank Martin arrested as the footpad who attempted to hold up Frank Robbins ... Marriago at Peorla of Miss Edna Bland, of Decatur, and Luther Guthrie, of Dulton City .... Marriage of Daniel 19.-Olavenger sentenced by Judge Vail A. Hall, of Elwin, and Miss Enney F. ...Marrings of Louise Murphy and John McCullough, of Decatur....Death of Na-

than Dixon, aged 65. 8-Marriage at Warrensburg of Miss Ada Binkley to Louis Bennett ... Death Murriage at Boody of Henry H. Brakhane explosion ... Mrs of Miss L. G. Lilly, aged 80 years ....

9-George Dingmaun, of Niantic, award-ed \$8000 demages from Wabash zailroad for being injured by a train ... Death of Arthur Dumont and Mirs Margaret Rob-Mrs. Henry Laughlin, aged 69 ... Dam- erts. age suit of Mrs. Maggie Clabaugh vs. City of Lecatur for \$5000 compromised.... Meeting of inflway employes to organise a James Montgomery celebrate 684 annilocal branch of Employes' Political League.

10-Decatus presbytery begins sessions at Sullivan.

11-Decator visited by a wind storm which damages property to the extent of several hundred dullars. ... Judge Vail grants motion to dissolve injusction testraining trustes of village of Mr. Zion in ensoting an ordinance to disconnect (HI)tain territory from corporate limits of the Elleworth.

12-Marriage of Miss Emma Lappein to Jeseph Statn ... Elopement of Mrs. Emanuel Wheeler of Decator and Edgar Steams, of Green's Switch .... Leon & Morris Buffer loss of \$1000 in destruction by fire of Tiaver werehouse on Wabash avenue.

14-Marriage of Will H. Cake and Miss Margaret Williams ... Death of William B. Mocre aged 22 years.

15-Death of Mrs. Margaret C. Thomas, aged 68.... Death of Patrick McNamars, aged 89 .... Death of Charles Mer-Howard Fuller, of Carretteri le, O ..... Merriage Miss Clirit. 1 Eaton to Gur P. Lowis ... M rituge of Miss Mabel Shimer to Fred R. Ossiell, ... Marriage of rai of Gov. Oglesby at Elkhart. Frank C. Westenberger and Miss Lottie Beggs, both of Arcola ... Marriage at Spring field of Mise Annie O. Reed, of Decatur, and Harry L. Russell of Lincolp.

16-Republican township primaries held ... Mueller factory begins working day and night .... Ohris Laux found guilty on seven charges of burglary and laiceny and entenned to the pentlentirary ... George Ourtis recommitted to insans asylum.

17-Republican township convention held.... Demogratic primaries held.

18-Democratio township convention W. A. Boetiger tesigns no C. S Needham's objet elera .... Final exemination of pupils of the country schools .... Death of Mis. David Boles ..., Wives of members of Post K. T. P A. form first auxiliary in the United Bintes

19-Death of Jos C. Brocketiner, aged 21. 20-Alderman B.C. Anthony resigns his east in the city council .... Sudden death of Geo. S. Lyon aged 67.

21-Dusth of Samuel Clothler, aged 88 years . . . Douth of Mrs. Edward Peel. -Simeon Moli imprisoned on charge

of larceny as ballee .... H. M. Whitmer buys Oltizens' Mutual Telephone plant for \$15,000 .... Death of Edward Hughes, aged 78 .... Death of Mrs. Mary Blickle.

23-Death of Miss Lelah Hufford of Cerro Godo, at St. Mary's hospital, aged 42 .... Republican city primaries held .... Mrs. Greenfield formerly a Miss Moore, at Dalton Olty, murders Mett Rickey, a horse trainer, in cold blood at Kingfisher,

25-Mairiage of Miss Anna Walston to nett ... Death of John Ben-

abaw, aged 60. 26-Death of Dr. Clarence McClailand,

aged 37. 27-Frang Motterry killed by a train at Gibson City.

3: Death of Edward Merhtoldt aged aged 17 and of Noble A. Baket ... Coun-22....Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Willard cele

brate their golden wedding.

#### APBIL.

1-Death of Bobert N. Baker, aged 64 Mrs. Mary E. Ziaing .... Death of Mrs. Nancy Carr, aged 68. 3-Sudden death of Michael Tanguay,

Death of Mrs. Mary Ann Shelly, aged 85, ... Funeral of the leto Mrs. Catherine awing to Mayor Stadler's strict orders. Tait ... Matriage of Scott Nicholson and Mrs. Grace Faunce-Mathodists hold a Decatur. jubiles commemorating 500 conversions at Harrison ravival .... Camidy Jacobs Noble Lamb, J. H. Hawkins and Toe Stip- Mala street ... . Yuneral of William Mopes, colored soldiers, seturn from Cuba..., Township election results in complete vic tory for republicane .... Death of Mrs. Cornelius Morris, aged 67 ... Death of Mise Hallie Griffin at Nientic.

5-Marriage of Wm. II. White and Miss Julia A. Tolly.... Marriage of Wil- a foundry in Decatur.... Mell Martin ac-liam M. Backstein and Miss Mary Mor- quitted of the charge of holding up Comp-

6-Matt Mysts killed by dynamite explosica at Kenney....George W. Scott killed by an unmanageable team of horses Stevenson's house, acquitted by a jury and

results in verdict for plaintiff, Dr. O. G. many, becomes incase at Newbury, N. T. -acition-

6-Death of Mrs. Sarah E. Roby. 9-Death of Ward Hill, aged 20,

called to Pane for strike duty a second lime.

11—Don't of Mrs. Jane L. Hawkee, aged 88....Marriage of Walter C. Matthews. 200 Miss Tuley I. Morris. 13-Marriage of Charles B. Cglo and

... Marriage of Wesley T. VanWest and

16-Death of Blijah Bundy southwest of the city.

15--William Diamond signed at the re-

per red. 16-Jubiles over conversion of 800 at

the Harrison ravival.

declared insane. 18-Death of Mrs. Johns Flynn, aged 70.

2177 ... Sudden death of L. P. Birby, aged 67, and Patrick Welsh, aged 70 .... Death of Mrs. Hannah Smith, sued 28 .... and Miss Adens Nolle ... Marriage of Junes Bein, and Miss Kate Obsmolog .... Marriage of Mont E. Reamer and Miss Lulu Brooks ... Marriage in California of

21-District meeting Daughters of Rebekeh held in Decatur ... Mr. and Mrs. versary of their mairiage.

22-Marriage of Ambrose S. Van Cleve Mrs. E. J. Brown.

Emery settled out of court. 25-Harrison revival olosed with conversions.... Death of Mrs. Harriel

villago ... , Death at Oakley of Mrs. Sarah hart , ... Firm of Wilson & Rawley salocn-Hiser, aged 20 .... Death of Grorge W. Respors, closed on judgment notes aggregating \$8100.

25-Death of Mrs. John Eurin at Jack sonville hospitel, aged 48 . . . Ohurch extenalon raily at C. P. church..., Rev. T. D. Harris, of Class, falls to appear at session of Depatur presbytery to answer

against him by Harry Fisk in Justice O'Mara's ouurs to escure payment of a \$15 note..., Marriage of Eugene E. Petsel and Mies Delpha B. Howerd.

27-Marriage of Miss Leots Spalding Death,uf Miss Susie Winchester (colored) aged 25.

1-Meeting of rembers of executive committee of state federation of Women's olube ... Mayor G. A. S a lier inaugurated .... Ozville Work, bell buy at the Si, Nigholas, steals traveling man's peck itbook containing \$65 rpl goes to Movesquus, where he buys a bicylos and is arrest-

Clara Katter ... Death of J. N. Stickie, aged 68 .... Reorganization of Cit.zens'

Mutual Telephone company. 8-Marriage of Paul Kastner and Miss Elizabeth Frank .... Marriage of Dyron Bramble and Mise Mary Belle Bevans .... Marriage of Edward Welsh and Miss Phoeb Smith ... . Marriage of Otha A. Newell and Miss Mary Matthews ... Death of Mrs. Juhn Sweney, aged 89 ... Charles Bivins suicides near Warrensburg, shooting himself through the head.

50 ... Shellabarger Co. sell their elevator business at Cerro Gordo to Ulirich & Bon .... County Endeavor rally opens at O.

5-High school field day .... J. H. and Col. Culver purchase the Gallanger block oity, aged 70. ... Car load of strawberries and Miss Elizabeth Ebert, ... Death of Louis Wetzel, west of the arrive in Decatus.

belonging to Hon. Wash Smith at Mt. Zion destroyed by fite .... New indictment returned against C. N. Wilcozon in United States court at Springfield ... Death o Samuel Shupp, aged 67,...Death of Wil-liam Bamsher, aged 74,...Marriage of ....Double wadding at U B shussh of ....Double wadding at U B shussh of James W. N

?-Destructive hall and wind storm in southwest part of Macon county with hall as big as goose eggs.

cil rejects C. C. Rendolph as chief of police and A. O. Bolen as street com-

10-Mayor Stadler determines on appointment of B. C. Applegate as oblef of police ... , Budden death of W. C. (Big) Jeffers ... Boxing carnival proves a fake

15-Maggie Graves severely out by Kate Harrel in Wood Thomas' room on Bast Coy, who was killed at Eankakee by the cars .... Council confirms Applegate's appolutment

18-Opening of the state Sunday sebcol convention. 16-Satley sompany decide to establish

troller Bobbins .... Death of Andrew Pet-

at Pierson....Death of Mrs. Many Turner arrested within an bour while trying to ind the stolen property.....Jubn Eirobner 7...Third trial of the Collins will care while on route to his old home in Ger-.... Detih of Dr. E. W. Moors at Cle burne, Texas.

43-Four men arrested for gambling in 10-Catholic mission begins ... . Grands the ald Shuits room and the gaming devieta confecuted....Mrs. Ann Beman declared furne .... Gentleman's driving slub

A. J. Simpson . . . Leo Bellbeus eurprises 36-Dieth of Mrs. Ann Horton at La

Place aged 96 years.
'SI-Mayor Steedler signs the salary ordiname.

81-Love Maugefeleski and Louis Fa aniali boys, arrested for robbing a sec building on Bast Bidorado street .... Q. &. Wray's barn struck by lighthing acc passed.

JUNE.

1-Death of Will F Schults....Meeting of General eldership of Church of God.

Oity election held ... William Felton Ington ..... Death of Samentha Jane Dompsier aged 45 .... Death of lersel Goldblatt aged 57,...Death of Mes Bridget Doyle aged 68 ... Death of Louis Lichienberges at Elwin, aged 64.

2-Contractors begin rebuilding the C B & Q plant .... Mrs Soott Blewart narrowly espes burning to death in gesoline stove Louise Barrackman granted a divorce from Demas A Barrack-

4-Rev Froel Craft delivers baccalaureate

sormon to high school graduates. 5-Tie vote in city abunell on midnight closing of saloons and Mayor . Stadler declares motion to pass ordinance lost....By vote of 11 to 3 council adopts ordinance requiring Sunday closing of barber shops ....John Allen's electric light and gas nompany asks for a franchise ... Death of P M Wikoff aged 78 .... Death of Rodney Leon, aged 12 years ... Death of George Wheeler near Cakley aged 25..., Death of Mrs Ruchael Parker at Maros aged 75 .... Mrs Wm Prescoit, Mrs Eattle Cennon and Mrs L Ely become deathly sick on a train, returning from Machinew Falls, they having eater ) poisonous points salad at a

6-Judge Vall grants new trial in Collins will case ... Judge Allen in D B cour refuses to quest Indictment against O N Wilcozon ... Birte meeting of grain dealers in session....School election results in election of J P Rosch as member of the school board ... George Miller, a German peddlar, killed beneath car wheels at Jasper street .... Close of eldership of Church of Gud.

7-Wilsonon telal bogins at Springfield ....Pastime athletic club closed on attachment for \$119 in favor Decetur Plumbing & Heating Co ... . Judge Vall grants temporary injunction restraining P W Bald-1811 Doty, aged 16...Marriage of to Harry Broloski....Fred Scaggs suisides win from using any funds belonging to Miss Beatrice Howard to Dr. Gearge by hanging in his barn near Bondy.... the Ellis Mfg Co....Banquet to visiting

9-Jury in Wilcoton case return verd ic ....Death of Dr E C Swoot, aged 44.... 834 annual commencement of Decatur high school.

10-Firemen stop what threatened to be a serious blass in the Aerade basement ... P M Orossier, a member of the grand jury indicting Joseph Mauss, was declared insane. 11-Nightwatchman Horion arrests Frank

14-Death of Otto Matter, member of Company H at Pana.... Daughters of Bevolution celebrate usg day....Bupervisors elect John Wilson as courthouse janitor. 16-Decatur wins the pennant in the high

17-Sergount Frank Wise and Miss May Chandler married at Harristown.... Objec. tions of Franklin street properly owners

quashed in the county court. 18-Rig obes of boys and girls take first

communion at St. Patrick's oburgh.
19—Gusta Hostek arrested for their of \$20 .... Trotting association decides not to hold a meeting ... Marriage of Goo. Lytla

20-Death of Joseph Smith at Wyckles, aged 87 years... Town board allows \$5819.50 for the first necessment under the new law ,,,,S B Adkins comes to take charge of the Rallroad Y M C A.

21-Marriage of H O Schaub and Miss ....Double wedding at U B shurch of Owen D Hophine and Miss Jemie Kenney and of D R Potts and Miss Mabel Hatfield ... Marriage of Chas Sydney Smith and Miss Fannis D Sweet at Chicago .... Other Miss May Rows at Tacoma ... Fireman's relief society apply for incorporation

De bare 22-Dr. Tobey's office speed on an enequition....Mrs Emma Turper killed by Illinois Central train at tray factory eross-

at St James' Catholic church. 27-Death of Bemie Thatsber of Clark county as the result of an aftempted abor-

28-The wheat barroot begins .... Mel Martin who held up Frank Robbins and was acquitted by a jury skips out with his employer's money....Waddirgs: Edward Kennedy and Charlotte McLindon: William Leighton and Cora James; Upton Seniniok and Miss Maude MeGlannen. 29-Library board decides on Sunday

ening.

#### , july. 1-Coroner's jusy at Marshall, Ill. declare

douth of Begsie Thatcher to have resulted from majpractice of Dr. T. B: Spaiding of Decatur ... Effective on this date Water voluntarily increases wages of train and suginemen...Mike Mendling of Maroa 'worked' for \$1629 by two insurance agents at Springfield ... .. After balf a century T. B. Albert meets his sister, Mm. John Welmen of Letanen, Pa... Marriage of Dr. Dodley Shew and Miss Elmora Ress at

Musiller factory dieg at his home in Mo-

tic robbed of \$800 worth of hardware.... Marriage of Holle Micks and Mice Rice Hook.

Mrs B F Kyle injured in a fire at her botton

slopes with Nathan Langler, her husband's farm hand ... Blanford and Gilbert, faith bealers, hit the town ... J N Sunnyside also

Mrs Matilda Corley, aged 27. 6-Marriago of Arthur McDaniel and Miss Ada Barker, both of Elwin....Dembeter Chapter O E 8 celebrates the freeing of

death from drinking green dre. 7-Effort to consolidate the two M. churches of Docatur launched ... Elmee Morris of Elwin takes his little son to the Pasteur institute for the treatment for mad

acres of his land near Casner. B-J C Fitzgerald and John Delanes,

board of review 30 emplaints are filed .... County board vote board of review elects a salary of \$2 per day....Official boards of Grace and First M E churches discuss

... Twentieth Century thank offering committee meets to devise plane for raising int of \$20,000,000 to be used as M . thankoffering ... Niantio coal mine resumes as a union mine after a strike laste ing 0 months.... High school olass of '97 reunion at home of Charles Record .... Police attempt to arrest Hart Dunham and a negro woman named Thomas when the latter shows a marriage certificate proving their marriage in Springdeld a few days

previous 12-Dedication of new Railroad Y. M. O. A. buil ing .... Moreury stands at 96 .... Marriage of Miss Jumphine Fold to George W. Fife of Indianapolis, ... Marriage of Percy Ewing and Miss Elizabeth Barnet ... Marriage of B S Kitch and Miss Sadie Price .... Divino bosiers leave for St Louis ... Excessive heat cauges "crosping rails

Norman laundry and jumps the town.... Heirs of Dr. B F Sibley and Geo & Lyons sue Covenant insurance company to recover on insurance policies .... Gustie Rostek acquitted of a charge of stealing \$5 from a Bouth Main street boarding house ... Mrs Louisa Rife, aged 68, found dead in her chair from heart disease . . . Board of review bears statements from insurance agents regarding amount of their business.... Matriago of Miss Bolle Real to Jason

driving olub.
15—H. W. Downing assaults a printed nemod Fox who had been paying attention to one of Mr. Downing's daughters..... Beginning of M Y O A tent meetings. 17-Detective Weiss, of Chicago oc

in a field at like home near Argenta.... Dath of Mrs D A Mamile 19-First boat taken off at the Satley

son, aged 27, 20 - Abraham W Huntington fell dead while eating supper at the farm of William Blunz ... James Burkrader and Miss Minnie

21-Sudden douth of Mrs. Jerry Vesch 22-Four men arrested in a room on East

Henson, aged 83. Hill by a score of 13 to 7.

Wheeler accidentally shot .... The vote in the council on the 12 o'clock closing of saloons..., Sapt W A Carreit accepts a cell to the Philadelphia and Bending.

Central says his road will build a depot Fairlawn....Death of J J Feddecord, aged

64....Bolomon Wyakle falls 50 feet from the Sangamon bridge and is fatally injured. ....Charies Braden run over by a traction angine a Foreyth and loses his left foot. 28-Bananaa 5 cente a dozen in Dacatus

80-Death of T P Roidy aged 70 years ... Death of Dr D W Ryan at Nianala. 81-Death of A J Chapman, aged 78.

of Pete Washer and Miss Anna Hutshison. 3-Mercury marks 100 in the shade being the hottest day in two years....Offices Leach exchanges shot with two suiored men at Imboden byringe under a mimppreheusion and one colored man is slightly wounded ... Marriage of Mrs. Emma Strokm Alexander to C. W. Medaris of Indianapolis, of Miss Fredrike Elseman to Herman Kersh....Boginess men tander a fatewell benquet at the St. Misholas

8-Second jury disagrees in the trial of the four men arrested on East Main street for gambling .... Death of William Arthur Bamilton aged 29 years ... A. Roberteca named as Mr. Garrett's enecessor on the Wabesh . . . Employee of middle division of

ing 101 degrees in the shadt ..., Miss Bared outrage of Margant Eusp. 5-V. M. Montetler pelle his interest in

the Harald Despatch....Musiles factory employee go to Mackinaw for a day's out-6-Men Deiversellet church at Cauge

NEWSPAPERHRCHIVE®

The Herald this merning offers to its readers a chronology of the more importunt local crouts of the year. The lifetory is

interesting but releaded as a local a cord-It covers all the more important deat he marriages otc , together with the happenings that formed a part of the last year's history Wills the rouders still rotaln a regole-tion of the more important events the fact that they are here arranged in shranoigical order will prove a great adfantage deputibily to those who desire to

3-Murriage of Miss Viola Johnson of

3-A Il Williams resigns as superintendent of streets .... A Reuve selected reading

purposes. ... Doath of Mrs Susan V Davis Barah A Funk aged 57 years. n 10d 70 ... Murriage of Henry Fahrnbopf 10-Verdict of \$2600 against street railway

5- Moeting at Decutur club to discuss bulldeng & goliseum.. William Shookey hurt at Bensent ... Death of the sal Forbes, aged 32 years... Man Zlon. named Craikshank of Niantie killed by the 13unre & Dana, fud .... Donth of Martha E.

catur ... Mrs Martin Martin dies of prou- given a jall sentence of one year for adulmania aged 65 year. 7-Search for J Il Fritz who left home riage of William A Midlam of Pt Worth,

0-10-th of the K Sibley aged 79 years .... Ez-Goy Oglast coffees attack of the

ipera house for alleged insanity. 11-Jury Velector and hearing of evidence ogun in Telford murder trial.... Marriago

Beily E Willoughby at Macon. 19-Jadosia Myers chief witness in Tel-

bed and sentenced him to 30 years in the

16-Hethers Gorman deciered insane.... DRAQ works destroyed by firm loss

20 -Oreditors of J B Fritz attach bis

Denth of Mrs N Laur at Guthrie formerly

22-Death of Mrs Marinda Bryner, 66 and of Miss Maggie Hill aged 28.

Assumption....Death of Mrs Roy Lough 28-Death of Jemes Frieman aged 63. . . Morgan English dies at Jacksonville.

8-Jury exonerates sity of Decatur in the

8-Death of Zacharlah Ladd agod 34, of 9-Merercury reached 29 degrees below

13-Moroury 18 dogress below Esta ... Maffit and McCorray finish the work of 14-A Probat Injured by a fell from a Ok. 6-2 D Franklin a Wabash switchman box car... Death of James Torrester a 24-Republican city convention held.

> Marriago of Charles E Williams and Miss Anna E Konnady 'of Boudy ... Death of Atthur Langham at Enights Ewitch.

Cook farmer disappears.

bog ins.

inn M. Davie, aged 68. M. Death of Mrs H C Anthony at Chi. Even-culebraise.his-79th hirthday.... Hodsage... Death of Mrs John Antesna....Mrs den death of Mrs John Antesna....Mrs den death of Mrs John Antesna.....Mrs den death of Mrs John Antesna....Mrs den death of Mrs John Antesna...

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cruiting office for service and then disap-

17-John Allen chosen chairman of the ounty board.

2-Marriage of Miss Fosephire Lucile
18-Death of Henry H. Brown, aged 79 Van Lort to Frank S Jones at Bloom. sounty board.

90-Official count of I allois cast at city election show Stadler 2491; Taylor,

of Hoopeston and Miss Laura Brown of Decatur.... Death of infant son of Dr. and 29-Cluse of Schenek beire vs. C. F.

Bedeil, aged 68. 24-Death of Governor Ogleaby at Elk-

charge of insubordination. 26-P. G. Schultze wins suit instituted

28-Smallwood will case filed .... Fune-

ed by Officer Orosa.

2-Marriage of John Bauer and M se

4-Death of Mrs. Peter Williams, sged P. church.

6-Carn cribe and 500 bushels of corn

mon.

missioner. 9-St. Niebolas bay elosed by Newman & Ullman of Peorle.

12-Richard Manafield plays Ograno in

ars, aged 66 years. 18-Tom Travis, who burglarised Frank

regulated.

24.—Death of Mrs. Anna Wood aged 32 St. Louis.

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26.—Arthur B Absence, employe of the Mrs. S.—Arthur B Absence, employe of the Mrs. organised. pears .... Death of John Scott and of Mrs.

Men. Miller preaches memorial ser-Rerrietown.

Respect before the greebytery all the 2016 Spon to Grand Army.

Son to Grand Army.

Pfiliph bight and young Miles...

Person.

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217 West Main St. 5-Mrs. Frank Wadkins of Long Oreck attempted to burn the calaboose at Argen-ta, placed in jail in Decatur....Death of

the lodge from debt ... Little daughter of Mr and Mrs Byrd Davis narrowly misses

dog bits .... Organization of Desaits busines: men's association. 8-Will of P M Wikon dividing an \$100,.

putting in 20 miles of tile to drain 800

oth of Springfield injured in a street cas accident wi ils returning from a concert at Riversido park. 10-During first day's session of the

consolidation but take no solion. 11-Death of William Dunn aged 78 years

on the Wabath.

Surgo. 14--First race meeting of gentlemen's

township call a town meeting, and protest agninst assessment made by their township 18-Cleo S Helplie aged 65, found dead

foundry....Death of Charles Parkhurst, agod 54 .... Death of Mrs. Charles Master-

Green matried in Chicago. aged 68-Street rallway ordered sold.

23-Diels of St. Louis defeat College 24-Mrs. James Durfee seriously injured in a runaway accident .... Mrs. Harry

25-William 1 hipps arrested at Niantie for a burglary committed at Clinton. Ind. 26-Chief Engineer Slean of the Illinois 27-Grocers hold their annual pienie ca

Look of the foot in the case of the foot men charged with gambling. 29-Funeral of J I leddenord.

AUGUST.

botal to W. A. Garrett.

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tuoja for \$2000.

21-Death of William O Smith of Blue 24-Farmers' institute opens.... Ralph E

25-Walter Frell fatally shot while play

27-De William Catto killed by a train at

2-D If Beilman sells his grocery to D

erine Fleming and Mrs Thomas Miller. 7-Marriage of William Riley and Mary

12-Death of Mrs Jane Honey at Mt.

10-District meeting of wamen's club

31-Souss's band give a matines.... Hody

-Death of Barbara Wittig. 27-- Kounty Fair of Goodman's band

1-Er-Mayor D. C. Hofft dies anddanly farm west of the city of Death of Mrs. Idies Margaret Murphey.... Marriage of two burglars at Stine's clothing store.

Ann M. Davie, aged 53.

Raise T. Thiel and Miss Bearie Siegers . 25. Death of Mrs. Ann Horton of of apoplexy while shapping wood as his

satisfy numerous elefme....Death of tion..., Sergeant Fullmer opens office to Williams, 20:83, 34 Cos, time electric Charles Gallahger, aged 67 years recruit for service in Cuba and Porto 56:07..., Esv. 26. B. Spayd presents to nual memorial day corn

pionio at the falis.

grain ocalers et St Nicholas. 8-Burial in Decatur of Mrs Levina Thacker who died at Campbellsburg, Ind. of guilty and a fine of \$500 for fraudulently using the mails is ussessed by Judge Allen

Davis in act of burglerizing the Habor saloon....Modern Woodings hold memorial services. 13-Death of Richard C. Brephone aged SE TORTE.

school field day at the reen track.

Decator waddings ... . Ellis . T Ward and Miss Lone Friest, Einie . A Dilaturh and Miss Lulu J Elliot ... Barry Scott and

ing. 23-Meeting at the nouncil rooms to talk up the corn parnival .... O E Schroll takes hankeunt law. 25-Big class confirmed by Bishop Byan

weegns. 3--Pritchett Bros' hardware store at Ni an

Marin Marin

18-Ephriam Hall collects \$15 for the

to Decatur to look up evidence in the Jesfer murder trial....Property owners of Austin

Main street for gambling .... Death of James

1.-Announcement of marriage of Chie. Andrews and Miss Minnis Lebman and

the Watsah any good bye to Garrett. s-Mercury breaks another resert touch sie Sheeby prostrated by beat ... Attempt-

4—Rein this raid, with the embration men, dedicated,...Death of Mrs. Marries of the Fourth, Pitting heigh and young Miles...Death of Mrs. M. Davies of Parties.

or ... Of the of the Y. M. C. A. tent meating ... M. W. Gurtis, aged 16, arrested for assault on Margarot Kuny.

Charles Ong shot and fatally wounded at they can't plos. Jackson ville.

9-Compireller Robbins pays Contractor gambling ... Dr. R. E. Tobey takes the branktupt law.

10-Annual reunion of the Garrers at Feirlawn .... County club takes profining ary steps of organization . Death of James Gibbons at Kansas City ... , Announcement of the murriage of Joseph Houseum and Mrs. Domas Barrackman at Indianapolis.

11-M, W. Curtis charged with assault on Margaret Kuny discharged alter a preindustry....Liquidment Armstrong aband-ons the recruiting office....Death of blich-

sel Bandrian, sued 9h years. 13-William Hatifeld killed by Wabark

train at Church attest proseing. 18-Death of William Close at Duluth. 14-Opening of the tenchars' institute ....Opening of the county Hunday school convention .... Eille Hervey felle from a

telegraph pole and is painfully injured. 16 -H. H. Smith, of Smithboro, elatincores to Decatur and collects a few dollars from persons alleged to have infringed on his patents.... Cerner stone of the C. P. church fald at Mt. Zion.

16-Annual meeting of the Old Sqtters of Macon county .... Rev. J. T. Pinfoy orduined a Baptlet minister.... Marrings of Thomas Hays and Miss Anna Powute.

17-Ben. Bristow gives a bunquet at Howell's Hullow ... Ainzi II, Baker dien suddenly of heart disease ... . John McOollongh, a Wabash brakeman, run doan and killed in the yard.

IN-Woodmen liase on enormous trowd at their annual planic at Palelawa.... Company H goes to Springfield to go into

10-Donth of Mrs. Ellenbeth Miller Scott Brown, aged 63 years. 10-Death of Mrs. Carrie Spore.

21-Eastern Star give u successful picnic at literakia.

22 Hustness men decide to hold an other corn carnival.... Death of Mts. Ellaatath ti. Hitchcock, mother of Mrs. C. W Montgomery, at Aurora.

23 Marriage of Hattle Dorothy Conand to William Floyd ... Marriage of Must Alice Godfrey to Louis Bambrecht, of Beggie Charnock to I. H. Baird. 28 -12 P. Bender assested for alleged

annuit on Juania Garreson .... Marriage of Miss Grane Lockett to Rey H. Brown .. . Florenco A. Crese and William J while stenling a ride on the Wabash.

25-Frank Wilson, a farm hand near Blue Mond, reported missing since the Woodmen's picule.... Annuncoment of the discontinuance of the Republican, the guerbateki. change of the Review from a morning to

Godett aged 89 years.

27-Band tousuement ht sace track Ghiselle Ewing. denne a pin croud.

Madden of Long Creek takes morphine by mistake and dies in a few houts.

Miss Alico Maropey ... Marriage at Mt. Zion of J. Arthur Kossier of Auburn and Mise Core Thomas Outten... Marriage of W. J. Cloyd and Miss Mary E. Delash-

Pairlann park.

engine and is fatally injured . . . Traveling

8 .- Jacob F. Trimines suffocated while cleaning a well on the Blackman place . . . . Company If ball team bests Pens 21 to 16 Temperance relites led by John G.

the "Messiah"....Edward Pendergast and Miss Music E. Irlah married...., Sale of the atreet railway pruparty to D. S. Bhollabarger.

6-Announcement of the marriage of Pathet Charles Brady and Miss Addie Gwinn .... Death of Charles Burchard at Denver as a regult of injuries while firing on the Denser & Rin Giando ... . President Bunter holds a conference with Manager Attusteong without results,... Marriage of Eugene Hostatier and Miss. Ella Cinthier ....lutense heat gauses much discomfort.

7-Death of Oscar Harper, aged 54 years .... Fire destroys the business part of Kan-

tate block .... Operation for tellef of Willia Barknore.

10-Crowd of Decatur people go to Danville to attend band concert .... Death of Min Poter Roby.

pleted ... Mrs. Claude Rhorer committe coro delivered at lessi mills.

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or, aged 11 years.

11-Charles limin returns from a year and a half in the Klondika..., Aunual hust- \$20,000 to his nisee in Itsland, filed for 8-Light. S. D. Montgomery opens a liess meeting of the Baptist church ... probate. recruiting office for regulare ... Mrs. Parmers complain that ground is so dry

15-At a meeting of the miners of the sait for \$5000 damages against N. L. Decatur coal company they decide to go Krone for selling liquor to her bushand McDonald for the Franklin street work .... on a strike .... Harold, 2-year-old son of Decatur scalety takes up golf....City Mr. and Mrs. James Lee, Basi Merletta Zion....Jury returns a verdict awarding compromises with four mon arrested for street, found doud in bed....Good roads \$14.66 to Harry Fisk in Fisk-Subulta case convention eitracts only a small attendance County and city officials hold a secret ses-... Driving club hold their last matinee.

Id-Harry Hill returns from sorvice in val contest inaugurated .... If. B. conforence returns Rev. Spayd to Decature

17-Rev. Penhallegon celabrates annirestory of blu tenth year to Denatur .... William Dill, an aged resident of Maron, ..., Rov. Tilly takes charge of All. Angels ehurch.

18-Quarterly conference of the M. E. church ask the return of Rev. Ciaft.

19-Death of Hattle, wife of Perry Ori. 20-Loral nieu of Ladies of the Maconbeen formed . . . Marriage of James M. Lugan and Dura Bulle Dunke ... Murriuge of Archie T. Davis and Miss Lucie T. Whitfield at Sulliann ... Death of Thomas Acom at Sinutic aged 80 years ... Death of Miss Muttle Dreubach aged 50 years .... ing to be the patented of the lawn awing Members of the dist Illinois regiment hold thair reunien at Arganta.

21-Marriago of Frank L. Evana and Miss Alice Bering ... , Messiah chorus organtzes, ... Death of Cornelius Holonbach, aged 60 years ... Douth of Gladys Alice daughter of H. H. Ameling.

Ged return Rev. Namoumer to Decatur .... Culored people relabrate emanuipation day in the inin ... Mayor's salary is enjoined | field married to H. J. Mandonald at Chi-.... Willis Hogan, a young farm hand at Frairle Home, fatally injured by falling on ultehforh.

23-Reception to Miss Lillian Irwin at Woman's club prior to her departure to New York to greet Dewey.

24-Police shut off the bear supply at the ball game of the bartenders and eigersunbare at the race track,

15-W. F. Fry comes to not as physical instructor at Y. M. C. A.... W. L. Ferguson and C. N Wilcoxon settle their troubles....John Bowinan assaulte Dr. Drow after paying his doctor bill.

28-Death of Willie Harkness, the boy whose back was broken in the Wabash wrenk at Bement ... Death of Miss Bertha Keyl ... K. of P. achool of Instruction at Chevalier Boyard hall.

Announcement of the death of Lou llouck at Durango, Mexico. 28-Marriage of Quear Barrauff and Miss Lottie Crawford ... Marriage of Blohard

29-Coal dealers add 25 cents to the Y. M. C. A. beats the High school at foothell score of 5 to 0 . . . Death of Thomas

30-Weather report shows the range of temperature is have been 85 degrees .... Helatives of Frank Wilson, who disap-20 Death of Mrs. Rabova J. March-land, aged 60 years... Death of Mrs. Laura nic, hear from him... Death of Miss

Martha, 6 year old daughter of Fred Na-

#### OCTOBER.

1-Funeral of Thomas O. Hays. 9-Mes. Max Bormen in a fit of bysteria tages morphine but repovers.... Death of Allen, wife of Eli Burd ... With a few men the Decatur company begins holsting onal ... . Circuit court, October term, con-

TE 001. Philippines,...Coal famine is threatened .... Death of Jesse Austin, aged 88 years.

gording an eight-hour day....Men.bers of Minnie Abdrews Julius Oneiss and is taken in by the police....Mur. in Julius Halmbacher...Death of Emeline Pickle aged 73 sery.

Nitutio Halmbacher...Death of Emeline Pickle aged 73 sery. from Mrs. Henry, and is usught a few hours later by the palice.

hanged in effigy and discharged from pay- bed to the extent of \$100. torate of the M. E. church at Butler, 11L.

G-J. M. Cloker endorsed for vacancy In interetate commission by state federation of labor at session in Danville ... Hirinors declare a bayouts against Feentur Milling Uo. and Decatur Biewery .... Un- of shooting Maurita .... C. S. Komp arder golice protetion non-union minere attend a conference at the court house . . . Official board of M. E. shurch at Argenta investigates charges against Rev.J. W. Hill made by L. E. Ryman who used Casner

and suspend judgment. 7-C. L. Hovey resigns as local freight agent of the liftnets Central.

8-Notes and migrigages sagregating \$5000 burned at Baptist church, leaving charch free from debt ... Bartenders de- Alaska ... H. R. Calof, of State Board of fent barbers at basebell by a score of 57 1a 20.

9-Park hotel partially destroyed by fire ... Unkapowa men found in a box sar dise at the poor farm .... Il. K. Taylor elected kora king by .4446 majority over Goo. F. Hall and L A. Suckinggam .... Death of Mis. C. B. l'otter,aged 32 .... W. L. Shellabarger pays Master-in-Chancery Finn a check for \$190,500 and is given a deed to the street railway property ... First new

Jester murder trial ... Will of the late Andraw Martin which leaves an estate worth

12-Thomas C. Kitchen injured in Wabash serds. . . Mrs. Malinda Foltman brings

... Donth of Miss Jessie Epling at Mt. sion to discuss cost strike situation .... Insurance re-rating causes grout dissatisfac-

just in the woods for 24 hours, ... Ray, J. found dead to the read beside his players conference as a result of investigations of Ethanan Wiley, aged UL. conducted by Rev. Horaco Beed, presiding older.

11-Score 6 to 0 in favor of the visitors in Urbana-Douatur V. M. C. A. football gama.

15-Barbers raise price of hair cuttlest to 25c and sharing to 10 during the curn carnisol...Louis Rodgers, a 14-year-olt lad, falls from a tree and rustains a broken num und internal injuries.

10-Ounl desists autoe that they will sell price of models to 250,... Rain prevents parade of the corn king.... Blind horse dashas into the residence of Juhn Sutter on emanne 

> cago. 17-Opening day of corn camival ... Parade of uorn king ... Harry Beno, the frenk, busied alive on Water street. 18-Olaude Sharp, of Betheny, skull

crushed by a kick from a horse ... Elmar Jackson. S. McClelland thrown from a bugg; in a runneny and sustains a broken lag. 19-Marca day at carnival .... Carnival crowd calimated at 50,000 ... Grand floral

Catade. 20-Reception to Hon, and Mrs. B P. Culdwell at St. Nicholas. , Will of Thomas Acom, of Minutia disposing of \$50,000 worth of property filed for probate .... James J. Robbins, of Cerro Gordo, arrest-ed and placed in jail in Docator for swearing falsely to the ego of a young lady

whem he intended to merry.

21.-Max Atlan wife rebbed of \$65 and burglers escape....John Nahrgang, aged 78, suicides by taking poison....Cloudge day of corn carnival.

22-Ministers preach on carnival topics saying mayor surrendered too midels M. Sheehau, who becomes insanout Mason taken to his home in Bloomingion

23-101ad home dashes through the window at the Peddesord & Burrows bank . . . Mis. I. I. Boblett dies in New York uit; .... Mrs. Malinda Faltman awarded damages of \$09 in suit against N. L. Krone for sailing liquor to her husband ... \$5000 damage soit of C. H. Propet va. Wabieb called in circuit court ... Families of W. E. R. Kell and Marion May indulge in a war over stray chickson.

21-Federal labor union formed in Decatut ... . liev. R. E. Pisros, of Epworth, Ill., approinted paster of the M. E. a rezor ... Lisale Workman complains the Decatur office in thirty-five days. that her father brought her from Moves-

12 to 2 in favor of visitors. 3—Economic Leugue organized....Ed25—Maudo Ballington Boath lectures in of Modern Woodman Installed.

ward Burns, a soldiar, returns from the Decatur....Tearneters' Union formed with 16—Death of John Schanle 5 members, ... Mis. Alma Morgan Kon- years. Walkash wreck at Bement..., Death of Mrs. Sugar, Minstream H. Murphy aged all years... Minstream H. Murphy aged all years. ma Pehmeyer.

26-Sheriff disarmed seven non-union 5-Henry Williams and other colored miners and the latter roturn to work in miners attacked by siribers near Franklin the mine . . . Olty tenders carnival comstreet staduat and Williams is slightly in. mittee \$500 as their share of the license proceeds and cummittee refuses to accept 6-Rev. J. F. Wohlferth, new paster of that small sum..., Funeral of Mrs. E. L. Graco M. E. church, serives in the city Hoblett held in Decatur... Raiph Graig, ... Freeident McKintey passed through a 14-year-old boy walked hankwards to the the city on route to Quipay and Obicano path of a selich engine in the L., D. & W. .. Marriago of Charles A. Hill and Miss yards and is killed | instantly ... Hardware Auguein Jindermy ... . Rev. J. W. Bill store of Faith & Rummel at Latham rob-

27-Fred Dongowski, a striking minor, stabled in the abdomen, and Charles Mauritz, also a striker, shet in the shoulder in a riot agninet non-union minera.... Afarion May, a non-union miner jelled un & charge rested on a charge of cutting Dongowski ... Olty Bowling League formed .... Assigned In A. Mills accepts compromise his home Warren is held for murder. estato \$5000.

28-Donth of Moses Purdy.

20-July in Propet Wabash damage suit warded plaintiff \$2000 . . . V. W. Conklin arrives home from a prospection trip to Alaska .... H. R. Calof, of State Board of

30-Death of Miss Lou Rogers, aged 8 years . . . Murriage at St. Lquis of Dr. A. P. Wilhelmy and Miss Grace Weaver ..... Marriage at Dalton City of Attorney John Fitzgerald and Miss Jannie Griffin .... Carnival Association finally accepts \$500 from the city with the understanding that they are to receive all they need of the \$1200 collected in license feet ... Decatus Gas and Biectrio Co. files \$20,000 indepnity bond in office of city clerk ... Trial 

7...Geo. W. Ehrhurt goes into bankrupt- aged 14 years accidentally shoots his broth- Davis leaves for Paris, Mo., to testify in sheft and say they will not try to operate the mine any longer.

NOVEMBER.

1-Death of Mrs LeGrande Payne at Indianapoolis...,Married at Mattoon John A Shopherd of the Wabash and Miss Jennie M Gray ... , Goorgo Noythadt granted of

13-Little son of Mr. and Mrs. James diseass..., Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Wes. police force..., Safe robbery at office of Le-Erwin near Blue Mound found after being sels, aged 87..., Last of the brick kilns of forgee & Patterson. the Decatur Brick Co. burned and plants | 8-Dangerous fire at Decater Plumbing

4-F M Gill alins Daniel W Flower, a St Louis ombezzier, urrested in Docatur after having been a fugitive for over eight months....Death of Col E H Jeffers at Julia Lathrop of Rockford talked before Austin, Ill....Death of Eli Bronneman general meeting of woman's slub on aged 53 ... Donth of Mrs I N Martin, Jr. at Proris agod 88. . . . Death of Mrs Thomas Chambers at Corro Gordo aged 69... High school football team play tie game with the Blue Mound slaven .... Store Lows against the seating of Congressman Rob-

desin of his son ... Marriage at Jackson-

7-Poker room mided on North Main companies in Decatur on February 7 and & street,...Gill the embezzier taken to St. Louis. Close of Forty Hours' Devotion ... old Linn & Suruggs building and parade, Vandals at Niantic place an outbuilding on hanquet and speechmaking by prominent Wabash track and come near wreaking a citizens, labor union men and mine operpassunger train .... Married at Norbone, Ltors ... Ten thousand deliar fire at Plet-Mo., Clyde Young of Decatur and Miss Alloe Lewis.

Harries M. Steen...Constable Conard closes Larkin salnon on foreclosure mort. E. E. Lawis killed. (... Elkin Chandler Marriage of Harry C McKinnie and Miss gage ... Judge Vall refused to entertain a motion to dismiss injunction suit resiraining payment of major's salary. 9-Jury returns a verdiot against I D &

W for \$1500 for death of Charles Hendrian ... Hose burbers meet and advance prices ... Fred O. Wikoff and Nellie E Cade wed at Maron ... F J McDonald wins his plow case .... The Town Pump soes dry. 10-Stockholders of the Decatur Traction

company meet to organize and sheet offigers....Judge Vall boars the arguments on the petition for an injunation to stop the mnyor's \$1500 salary. 13-Potus Troutman formarly of Decatur dies at his home in Victor, Kansas, aged

55 years ... Mrs Mary J Travis aged 75 years dies at her home in Decatur. 13-The boomers of the Springfield and Decetus electric railway visit Decetus to

ropeive ancouragement. 14-F. H. Hashman burned by an exploschurch at Argenta....Mrs. Ida Attbur Ion of gasoline....Henry Gowan dies in stricken with heart disease at the depot the county jail ... . Railroads prepare to adand dies immediately after being taken vance freight rates on coal ten cents per home . . . Miss Anna May, of Emery, tried ton . . . . The governments test shows that to kill herself by elaching her throat with 80,185 pounds of mail matter passed through

15-John Finnerty and Margaret Kenqua and left her penultess in Decatur.... nedy wed.... MacDougsl Allen of Col-Score in Lincoln, Decatur football game orado Springs and Miss Grace Shellabarger orado Springs and Miss Grace Shellabarger are married at her home . . . . W O Boo camp

16-Death of John Schaniel aged 46

ney bilked out of \$1500 by a New York action who proposed to prepare her for the stage.... Charles Morgan tries to work the short change racket at the Columbian ager of the Macon County Theorem and Blue Mound football McIntoen sends paper on 'Inheritance Tag.''.... Supervisors allow coroners' bill stage.... Charles Morgan tries to work the short change racket at the Columbian ager of the Macon County Telephone Co. Quipoy... Else celebrate second anniver-

satur Gas and Electric Co. to sastern cap. italists....Mrs Jasse Bullock comes near to death from an overdess of morphine.

2. Althous owners, appointed city passen. ROPTURE guaranteed cured to Hillock Control at TENTION PROM BUSINESS.

Combbs, Neb....Death of Hazs Neilson.

Combbs, Neb...Death of Hazs Neilson.

Co

22-Richard Yates comes to Decafur with his gubernatoral boom. 22-The G. A. It. adopted resolutions

relative to labor and employment. 22-Sadle Savage tried to commit sulcide by taking an overdoss of mopphine pills. 98-Loonl board of civil service examina

tion held examination for clerks and car-

24-Important mosting with miners and operators held at Hugh Orea's office for purpose of sottling the sirike. 34-Presentation of "The Christian" at

the Powers' Grand. 25-Thomas Todd shot by George War-

ers' strike. Miners go to work on following Mrs. Arthur Birt.

Water street saloun were arrested for sell

street .... Todd's funeral bald as Lake City. 23—Molorman Al Butler and five passen-agent have an exciting experience with a and a w Gray filed suit for \$5000 damage pany for loss of are arm on day of Beffelo against the P D & E relirosd....Miners Bill's show."

stop poker game in a room on South Park

portant events in celebration of day were ind .... Mrs. and Mrs. J. Boyer celebrate the football game between Decatur T M O golden anniversary of their matriage...je A and Champaign university team: special Goell Baldridge, of littopolis, killed while service at the churches: dinners and done-hunting near Blue Mound. tion for the poor, and social entertainments tios for the poor, and some measurement of the poor of

....Marringo at Maron of Harry Wybolf to dress before 'Reonomic League....Ground' broken for new Illinois Central dopot.... B-H M Whitmer dies suddenly of heart P. W. Denshus, resigns his position on Ollie Dickerson; F. S. Goods and Miss

W. Hill, who was slated for paster of are shut down for the season....Death of and Heating company's establishment....

Argenta M. E. church, resigns from the Miss Teresa Milliann at Centralia....Death No serious companyes option of new M. E. church at Olsoo. 4-Pirst anow of the season.

5-Petition for frenchise withdrawn by Oce company at council meeting ... Miss "Public Charities," 'and in evening talked at the Cumberland Prespyterian church. 6-Herman Martin soys farewell to

members of Gundman's band previous to his departure for a permanent residence stabbed by George Smith on South Park in Denver, Unlo .... Band boys present to nonl to teninsters for a period of unity 8 street ... Woman's glub pledges to furnish him a handsome diamond ring .... haute a day ... Restautant kospers rates a polition with 2000 names protesting George Denforth selected manager for Decetor Gas and Electric Light company, ?-Grocer's banquel at Barnatelto's hall

6-Opening of Forty Hours' davation at ... esceptal Valley citib incorporated.. Ed-St Patrick's church... Barbers form un iter il M. Robinson of the Warrenghurs South Union street, amashing a window St. Patrick's churan.....parpore to the following street, and first street into association and agree to raise prices.

Brank Wittke sufficient by had off the Communication of B. F. Justes aged 15....Death of Lottin Giberi, ....Marrings of Macon of B. F. Justes aged 15....Death of Dasjor J. W. Wood at the new Wingste sanitorium at Assertile, and Miss Maude Moser...Miss Olive Canwell meets with the Decatur business men's our Tully will case and finds the letterascelation and discusses means to get a tor of uncound mind at time of making the public building for Decatur....August will... First ladies night observed at the Handrian sums the Wabash for \$5000 for Decatus slub. 8-Address by T. B. Jack and Rober

ville of Edward H Bell and Mrs Nellie Vali before the Economic League .... Arrangements made for meeting of telephone 9-Miners, hold it tiles geletration at 8-Douth of Mrs. Scott Stawart aged 29 ger, receiver for city electric company ap-... Price of coal advanced to SI per ton.... Proved in circuit court by Judge Vail....

10-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muslier's rest. dence rebbed.

11-Report of finding box taken by robbers from Leforges & Patterson's safe ....Mrs. Geo. Camp applies for divotce ... Supervisors mest and bear reports .... Modicaka presenta Macbeth at opera house 12-Rupervisors hold a busy session. ... Daly's Runsway Girl at opera house.

18-M. J. Smith, formerly of Decetur, commits suicide at Springfald....A. Oulemen gets verdict in sounty court for \$2560 against estate of late Andrew Martin ... Decatur photon as next meeting place of State Implement Dealers' Asacoletion .... Salary of county physician fixed by supervisors ... , Committee appointed by board to consider arranging temperary hespital for county's unfortunates.

14-Dr. Tyler Metiweather chosen county physician....Mr. Kirkman re-elected steward of the poor farm .... County convention of I. Q. G. T. .. Board of sduce tion decides to employ trumpt officer in public subcols. .... Benjamin, Sill of Illial township sonfined until inquest in his canity could be held .... Ephriam Hall, who left town last our mer with money belonging to Norman laundry arrested and jailed.

15-Decatur News purchased by Decatur Herald ... C. F. Gordon arrested for stealing \$266 from William Stern .... Rov. J. Rh reads interesting opaper on "Krupp" before Economia Langue enn Alexander

Weakness and Private Biseases as Specialty Syphillis, Gonormosa, Stricture, Giest Special Syphillis, Gonormosa, Stricture, Giest Special Syphillis, Gonormosa, Seminal weakness, Variocole, Hydrocole, Lost Manhood and the feath of Early Vice or Ercest, producing family...Benjamin Herpetrite commits suicide by shouting himself. In the head, 18—Hospital association formed at First M. E. church...Decatur Harald put out 32 page addition...Decatur Traction company granted, a new franchise, 19—Macon county Madiana, 19—Macon

coorganised... George Airey arrested as suspented burglar. 20-Mayon S. A. Feirbanks of Jacksonville and a number of his officials visited Ducatur to look over fire apparatus.... Geo. Alrey, tramp peddler, eleared of a ren in a drunken quarrel when returning trem Levington to Todd's home at Lake City on the night of November 18 died at his home Warren is held for, murder.

25—Announcement of settlement of minimum of minimum

22-Death of Nosh Abbett at St. Louis Miss Bertha Grossman married ... Sodden death of Mrs. Louis Ernest. 23-Trainmester Swigert, of the Wa-

me pool farm....Fred Rostek declared lier of Parle hete looking for Otis H. Hew sullty of ornelly beating his little daughter.

11—Beating Ood Co. offere 25e per ton 12—Arthur Nichols a 15-year-old boy for minus and \$1.75 per day for of delian weeth of persons the edity in home of O. House, like home of O. House, like home of O. House, like home of Min. Caroling cases of smallest at Harry Addidge and Mine Phoshe cases of smallest at Harry Addidge and Mine Phoshe day... Death of John W. Graham suit of Geo-Tink on N. Health of 1720 Morth Broadway.

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26-John Heath, aged 78, and Mrs. As-

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Gertrude Wisher ... W. A. Holman appointed truspi offices for Decalus sebook Bon, Walter Reeves visite Decaius in the interest of his annildacy for gareenar .... Fourth sumual 'possum supper of Decates fremen .... O. Airey, the tramp geddien fined \$150 for having fa sely stamped jewelry to his poseemics ... Ministerial meeting of M. E. pastors of Decktur district held in Decetur.

28-Smith, Eden and Suites, three ccal miners on trial for lociting a clot at Miantlo.... Trustees alected for proposed new

29-Peter Tay, long lost brother of Hans Toy, leturns to Decatur... Death of 2 bomes Evans, sged 76 ... Dealets begin preparations to hervest ice.... Ellish Walker ense Robert. Jemes and Edward Hight for \$5000 for trespens .... Fred W. Miller sues highway commissioners of Maron township for \$2500 for floading his land with tide water.

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an evening paper. 20-Death of Mrs. Raboca J. March-

28-E. P. Bender charged with assault dismissed after a fine of \$100 and costs ... Matthew Suren killed by a Wabash freight train east of the city .... William

30-Marriago of Justice O'Mara and

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ney.... Death of Thomas Powers. B-J. H. and J. S. Coiver buy the Win

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